IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

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Akio HIGASHI et al.

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Examiner Dante Rayetti

RECEPTION DEVICE, TRANSMISSION

Mail Stop: AF

DEVICE, SECURITY MODULE, AND DIGITAL RIGHT MANAGEMENT

RESPONSE UNDER 37, CFR116 EXPEDITE PROCEDURE

SYSTEM

EXAMINING GROUP 3600

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action of December 9, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows: